

Clinton Lake Youth Turkey Hunt 2015 Rules

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****NEW for 2015:**

- **Hunt will be held both Saturday and Sunday, with 10 hunters split between days. Youth hunters will draw zone assignments and hunting day at pre-hunt meeting.**
- **Blinds will be checked out at pre-hunt meeting and placed by individual hunters prior to hunt days. Blinds must be returned at end of hunt. (more instructions will be provided at mandatory pre-hunt meeting)**
- **Units have been redrawn as larger units. Hunters may be allowed to move around unit provided they follow instructions given at mandatory pre-hunt meeting.**
- **Hunters may request to have an experienced guide from KDWPT, NWTF, Corps of Engineers, or the Kaw Valley Sportsmen's Association assist in their hunt. These guides can help call turkeys, place decoys, and teach the ropes of turkey hunting. This guide can be in addition to, or in place of, the guide listed on the application. Please note on the application if you would like one of these guides assigned to you.**

1. Applicants must be between the ages of 10-16 years old on the days of the hunt, April 11th-12th, 2014.
2. Participation in the Clinton Lake Youth Turkey Hunt is allowed by permit only. 10 permits will be issued through a lottery drawing on April 2nd, 2015. **Applications must be turned in to the Clinton Lake Corps of Engineers Project Office by 4:00 p.m. on April 1, 2015.** Applicants will be notified by telephone if they are selected. A permit will allow the permittee to hunt his or her assigned zone and an adult guide to supervise. Only the permittee will be allowed to carry a gun. Permits must be carried by permittee and the designated guide at all times and may be revoked by Corps of Engineers officials, Wildlife and Parks officials, and Douglas County Sheriff's officials at any time.
3. Shotgun hunting only. This hunt is intended for turkey management within the parks, and to promote ethical hunting to young hunters.
4. All State of Kansas game quotas and laws apply. Hunters must show proof of state turkey permit, hunting license and hunter's education (if required) at **mandatory pre-hunt meeting on Wednesday, April 8th at 6:30 pm. This meeting will be held in Bloomington Park at the Maintenance compound. The nearest intersection is N1190 rd and E612rd within the town of Clinton. Meeting is southeast of that intersection approx. 1000 feet.**
5. **The Clinton Lake Youth Turkey hunt will be held from ½ hour before sunrise to sundown on April 11th-12th, 2015. Lunch will be provided from 11:00am – 12:00pm.**
6. The youth turkey hunter and adult guide will be required to attend a pre-hunt **mandatory** meeting on **April 8th, 2015 at 6:30 p.m.** at the Corps of Engineers Maintenance Building at Bloomington Park on Clinton Lake. **Blinds will be checked out to hunters and assistance provided to set them up (if requested).** If the youth turkey hunter *and/or* his adult guide fail to attend the meeting, the permit will be revoked and given to the first available alternate hunter. We encourage all mentors to work with the youth hunters to pattern their shotguns prior to the hunt.

7. ***Hunters will be allowed to hunt in their assigned zone/area only during their assigned hunt day:*** at no time will hunting be allowed outside of the assigned zone or hunt date. Blinds will be checked out to hunter at mandatory pre-hunt meeting and should be set up prior to the hunt. Only the assigned youth turkey hunter will be allowed to shoot.
8. Parking will be permitted on roadways only. The issued parking permit must be visible at all times. **DO NOT BLOCK GATES.**
9. Shots resulting in turkey injury will need to be pursued; however, proceeding onto private property will be allowed with landowner permission only. To avoid disturbing other hunters, injured turkeys that leave the immediate area will not be searched for until 11:00 a.m. *Selected applicants should seriously consider purchasing two turkey permits in the event they injure one bird and want to harvest another.*
10. Hunters will need to report back to the Bloomington Maintenance Building or call Kyle Broockerd at 913-269-5098 after the hunt to report on hunt success.
11. Any permit holder violating any state or Corps of Engineers (COE) rule, regulation, or law will have their COE permit voided, be subject to a ticket, and will be banned from future special hunts at Clinton Lake. Any person-to-person conflicts must be reported to the appropriate officials.



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Wed. April 1, 4:00 pm—Applications Due

Thurs. April 2—Successful Applicants notified

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Youth Hunter _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone Number _____ Cell Phone Number _____

Emergency Contact Name and Number _____

Driver's License # _____ Date of Birth _____ Age: _____
(If Applicable)

Hunter's Safety # _____ Hunting License # _____
(If Required)

Number of Turkey Permits Purchased _____ (Tran# _____) (not required for initial application, but must be given to Corps Office at mandatory meeting).

Do you need a guide? _____ If not, please fill out the below information:

Adult Guide _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone Number _____ Cell Phone Number _____

Emergency Contact Name and Number _____

Driver's License # _____ Date of Birth _____

Hunter's Safety Certificate # _____ (If Required)

Kansas Hunting License KDWPT# _____
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Applications **due by 4:00pm Wednesday, April 1st, 2015** at the Clinton Lake Project Office.

Questions? Call 785-843-7665

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